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SUBJECT: SWEDISH ELECTION - REVISED UNOFFICIAL RESULT

1. SWEDISH RADIO ANNOUNCED ON 5 PM NEWS THAT SWEDISH RADIO--TT NEWS AGENCY TEAM, WHICH HAS BEEN COMPILING UNOFFICIAL RETURNS MADE ANOTHER TABULATION ERROR. AS A RESULT, ONE SEAT IN JONKOPING PROVINCE, WHICH WAS ANNOUNCED FOR SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY, SHOULD HAVE GONE TO CENTER PARTY. THEREFORE, ON BASIS OF UNOFFICIAL RETURNS, SWEDISH ELECTION HAS NOW PRODUCED A DEADLOCK WITH 175 SEATS FOR EACH BLOC IN NEW RIKSDAG. ULTIMATE OUTCOME THUS PRESUMABLY DEPENDS UPON COUNT OF 52,000 MAIL BALLOTS.

2. IT SHOULD BE BORNE IN MIND THAT SWEDISH RADIO/TT BALLOT-TABULATION SETUP HAS PRODUCED TWO SIGNIFICANT ERRORS ALREADY AND MAY BE WRONG AGAIN. THUS, NO RELIABLE CONCLUSIONS ON OUTCOME CAN YET BE DRAWN-- PERHAPS NOT UNTIL RESULTS OF OFFICIAL COUNT ARE ANNOUNCED SEVERAL DAYS FROM NOW.

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